AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

The following is a detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the Application.

Claims 1-38. (Canceled)

39. (Previously presented)   A computer-implemented method for processing information related to multimedia consumption, the method comprising:

collecting information about consumption of multimedia content, the collected information identifying a first user action related to consumption of content in a multimedia program; and

storing a usage history including a user action list that lists user actions and includes a first user action item corresponding to the first user action, the first user action item including a reference identifier identifying a content description that is separate from the user action list and specifies a genre of the multimedia program.

40. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the first user action item specifies a program identifier for the multimedia program, the program identifier including the reference identifier.

41. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 40, wherein the program identifier includes a title of the multimedia program.

42. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the first user action item specifies an action time identifying a time of occurrence for the first user action.

43. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the usage history specifies an observation period defining a time period for recording multimedia consumption.

44. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the reference identifier defines a link to the content description.

45. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 44, wherein the link includes a URL.

46. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the content description specifies an actor of the multimedia program.

47. (Previously presented)   The method of claim 39, wherein the content description specifies a director of the multimedia program.

48. (Previously presented)   A system for processing information related to multimedia consumption, the system comprising:

a data storage device; and

data processing apparatus configured to perform operations comprising:

collecting information about consumption of multimedia content, the collected information identifying a first user action related to consumption of content in a multimedia program; and

storing a usage history in the data storage device, the usage history including a user action list that lists user actions and includes a first user action item corresponding to the first user action, the first user action item including a reference identifier identifying a

content description that is separate from the user action list and specifies a genre of the multimedia program.

49. (Previously presented)   The system of claim 48, wherein the first user action item specifies a program identifier for the multimedia program, the program identifier including the reference identifier.

50. (Previously presented)   The system of claim 48, wherein the first user action item specifies an action time identifying a time of occurrence for the first user action.

51. (Previously presented)   The system of claim 48, wherein the usage history specifies an observation period defining a time period for recording multimedia consumption.

52. (Previously presented)   The system of claim 48, wherein the reference identifier defines a link to the content description.

53. (Previously presented)   The system of claim 52, wherein the defined link includes a URL.

54. (Previously presented)   A computer program product for processing information related to multimedia consumption, the computer program comprising instructions to cause data processing apparatus to perform operations comprising:

collecting information about consumption of multimedia content, the collected information identifying a first user action related to consumption of content in a multimedia program; and

storing a usage history including a user action list that lists user actions and includes a first user action item corresponding to the first user action, the first user action item including a reference identifier identifying a content description that is separate from the user action list and specifies a genre for the multimedia program.

55. (Previously presented)   The computer program product of claim 54, wherein the first user action item specifies a program identifier for the multimedia program, the program identifier including the reference identifier.

56. (Previously presented)   The computer program product of claim 54, wherein the first user action item specifies an action time identifying a time of occurrence for the first user action.

57. (Previously presented)   The computer program product of claim 54, wherein the usage history specifies an observation period defining a time period for recording multimedia consumption.

58. (Previously presented)   The computer program product of claim 54, wherein the reference identifier defines a link to the content description.